

## WILHELM HUMAN

German Crown Prince Appreciated Farrar's Acting.

He Tried to See Her Behind the Scenes in Berlin.

## GOSSIPS STARTED SCANDAL

Girl's Father Then Took a Hand in the Matter.

Prima Donna Tells of Royal Romance in Chicago.

Chicago, Ill., Jan. 4.—Geraldine Farrar of the opera, who is an actress as well, had just been kissed three times by the crown prince of Germany.

Now, when she came to the company, he expressed his joy with one kiss.

So, since the memory of crowds turned away from the box office on Farrar nights had expressed itself in three kisses—one on each cheek and one on her small hand with repeated thanks—even though Mme. Campanini was looking on, there was cause for joy. So she chatted in the most unbecoming manner regarding these things.

Love Affairs, Etc.

Love affairs of a prima donna, reaching from the days when she regarded them seriously—the attention of the crown prince of Germany, Frederick Wilhelm—to this day, when custom demands a new fiancé each week.

The importance of opera critics when one's success can be read in box office statements.

About the crown prince? Oh, that's—Advertisement

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## SNAP SHOTS AT HOME NEWS

clation January 28. "Billy" Bond will plan it.

A banquet will be served at the Masonic temple for the State Bar association, Douglas Graham, 1310 West Fourteenth, clerk of the court of Topeka, is ill at his home.

The Rev. J. H. Youngman addressed the gospel meeting at the new Santa Fe mill today noon.

Mrs. Tim Long, of 321 Taylor street, who has been seriously ill at her home, is considerably improved.

The Bible class conducted by Mrs. C. P. Menninger met this morning at the Y. W. C. A. building.

The feast of Epiphany will be celebrated by Holy communion at Grace Cathedral Thursday at 10 o'clock.

Ten candidates were initiated into the Order of Moose last night at the lodge hall on Jackson street.

William Shaver, 1229 McVicar street, has been absent from the Masonic temple for a month, ill at his home.

A guild hall tonight at 8 o'clock, the monthly meeting of the vestry and corporation of Grace cathedral will be held.

The first meeting of the year of the Women's guild will be held Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock at Grace Cathedral.

A Bible class was held at the old Santa Fe mill today noon by the Rev. J. K. Young, pastor of the Evangelical church.

Gymnasium work has been resumed at the Y. W. C. A. this week and will continue until the end of the term, January 31.

Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Reedy of 805 Liberty street are the parents of a son, born Sunday morning. He has been named Eugene Edward.

Miss "ate Williams, physical director of the Y. W. C. A., returned Monday from Peoria, Ill., where she has been spending the holidays.

O. B. Burtis of Manhattan left today after a short visit to Miss Gertrude Haring, 1615 Roswell avenue, and other Washburn friends.

Miss Clare Armstrong, girls' work secretary of the Y. W. C. A., will return from Peoria, Pa., tomorrow, where she has been visiting her parents.

Services for the dead will be held at the Lutheran church, Second and Van Buren streets, this evening at 8 o'clock. The Rev. J. Jacobs will speak.

Bishop and Mrs. F. R. Millspeugh, 213 Polk street, will entertain the vestry and wives and Episcopal clergy at dinner at 7 o'clock Thursday evening.

Prof. S. V. Eaton, instructor in botany at Washburn college, has returned to Topeka, after a Christmas visit at Liberty, Ind., where he attended a botanical conference.

The Friendly Visitors of the Provident association held a meeting at the building this afternoon from 4 to 5 o'clock. Mrs. Lillian H. Moore presided.

Mrs. A. V. Lindell, 1334 Fillmore street, will entertain the Women's Mission society of the English Lutheran church Tuesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

The monthly meeting of the Chancel chapter of Grace Cathedral was held in Guild hall this afternoon at 3:30 o'clock. One hundred young women belong to the chapter.

Sub seniors of the Topeka high school will give a reception for the January 1916, class at the Elks' club rooms January 14. The reception will be followed by a dance.

The Little Swedish Church on the Hill, new book of short stories, Post paid 35 cents. Benefit new church. Address Bethel Building Fund, Lock Box 46, Topeka, Kan.—Adv.

"Bethlehem" by Maund will be sung next Sunday at 4:30 o'clock by the choir of Grace Cathedral. There are thirty in the chorus and a quartet will sing the principal parts.

Mrs. Clarence Shoemaker, 1901 West street, will entertain the members of the Women's Foreign Mission society of the English Lutheran church Friday afternoon.

The volleyball tournament will commence at the Central Y. M. C. A. tomorrow evening and the finals are to be played Saturday. E. E. Howard will present the winners with a cup.

The Mexican English class was resumed last night at Branner school and will meet regularly from now on. English is taught by Mrs. E. J. Callahan on Monday and Thursday evenings.

Two more issues of the Topeka High School World will be published this year by the editor, Ewing Fergus. The next number will appear January 14. Miss Maym H. Parsons will be the next editor.

A tryout of seniors for parts in the class play, "Emerald," was held this afternoon in the Topeka high school auditorium. Miss H. Margaret Roe, teacher of English, will choose the cast.

A called meeting of active members of the Y. W. C. A. was held this evening at 8 o'clock, at the association building, to discuss important business. Following the meeting there will be a basketball game in the gymnasium.

Word announcing the death of the Rev. J. F. Sloan of Long Beach, Cal., has been received by relatives. Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Laven, 313 East Eighth street, Mr. Sloan was formerly pastor of the First Christian church of Topeka.

Three Topeka nurses passed the examinations held by the state board of nurse examiners at Newton December 28 and 29. Miss Veda Lyter of Stormont hospital and Miss Doris Wright and Miss Evelyn Ferguson of St. Francis hospital were the Topeka representatives.

A meeting of the Saturday Night club will be held Saturday evening, January 8, at the Harvey eating house. The banquet is given by O. J. Wood. A paper on "Physical Valuation as a Basis of Rate Making" will be read by F. W. Thomas, supervisor of apprentices for the Santa Fe.

An annual business meeting will be held at 8 o'clock Wednesday evening at the First Christian church. Reports of the various departments will be read. Miss Vera Hanna has returned to Topeka to attend Washburn college, after a two weeks' visit in southern Oklahoma.

Topeka lodge No. 2, Fraternal Aid Union, which was formed by the consolidation of the Topeka lodge No. 1 and lodge No. 757 of the Fraternal Union, will give a progressive high-five party after a short business meeting tonight. Installation of officers will occur January 11.

Four classes of Russians are being taught English every week at the Branner school. Two are beginners and two are advanced, all being conducted by Mrs. Marie Leff, an American woman who was reared in Russia. A Christmas celebration was given to the class last Thursday at the school house.

The members of the Bible school church of the First Christian church were entertained Monday evening at a 6 o'clock dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank L. Ogil, on West Street. Those present were the Rev. O. L. Cook, E. V. King, superintendent, Dr. F. S. Isgerman, Glen Shumell, R. E. Nelson, Frank Leathman, David Owen and Mr. and Mrs. Ogil.

A Y. W. C. A. basketball tournament will commence this evening at 8:15 o'clock with a game between Capper team No. 2 and Santa Fe team No. 1. January 13 at 7:45 Capper team No. 1 will play Santa Fe team No. 2. January 21 at 7:30 o'clock, Capper team No. 1 will play Santa Fe team No. 2. The championship game is slated to come off February 15 between the two highest ranked teams.

John W. Nyren, of Topeka, was elected president of the Young People's Union of the Kansas and Missouri Young People's societies of the Swedish Mission churches at Salina Sunday. Nine delegates from Topeka attended. It was voted to make Topeka the next meeting place at the fall session. Mr. Nyren, a prominent president of the Young People's society of the Topeka church, one of the strongest members of the Kansas-Missouri alliance.

One hundred new medical volumes at an average cost of \$7.50 a book are to be added to the state library. This will bring the total number of medical books up to approximately 2,400. Jane Stormont, the widow of Dr. D. W. Stormont, a wealthy Topeka physician of early date, has donated \$10,000 to establish a medical section in the library. \$5,000 to be used in the direct purchase and the interest on \$5,000 to go for medical books. One hundred of the latest books are added each year as a result.

The officers of Rehoboth lodge, Caprola No. 213, were installed last night by the Union Rebekah installation staff. The new heads are: Mrs. E. Marriam, noble grand; Mrs. Ella Kimble, vice grand; Mrs. Sarah Brown, recording; Mrs. N. S. Brown, Eliza Jones, financial secretary; Mrs. Farnsworth, treasurer. The installation staff consists of the following persons: Mrs. Herbert Green, Mrs. J. E. Brown, Emma Spencer, Mrs. E. V. King, Mrs. W. A. Woolverton, Mrs. Jessie Alton, Mrs. E. J. Rauscher, and Mrs. Myrtle Oakley.

Chief Parsons Pinned by Cops for Disturbing the Peace.

Here is a story which is being told on Harvey Parsons:

The chief of police decided to follow his usual custom of making a little noise when the New Year came in. So on last Friday night he loaded up his sundry shotguns and revolvers and sat up reading "Robinson Crusoe" until the great moment should arrive.

At 12 sharp the chief began firing his guns. At 12:01, so the story goes, the telephone rang at the police station and a man's shrill voice stated that some one was disturbing the peace on Huntoon and Van Buren streets. At 12:02 the police car was cranked up and half a dozen handsome cops jumped in. The honor for the first arrest of the year was at stake.

At 12:08 a. m. "Harvey" was still shooting off his big and not exactly noiseless repeating shotgun. The police car rumbled up. The handsome cops jumped out and bravely approached the celebrator.

"You're under arrest," one of them said, and then he recognized the features of the chief of police.

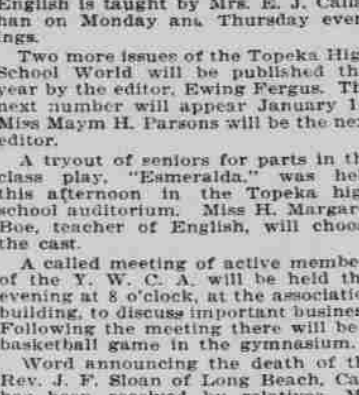
On their way back to the station the cops saw a bunch of men firing into the air. They did not try to stop them.

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